

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
MARSHALL DIVISION**

GIGAMON INC.,

Plaintiff,

v.

APCON, INC.,

Defendant.

Civil Action No. 2:19-cv-300-JRG

JURY TRIAL DEMANDED

PROTECTIVE ORDER

WHEREAS, Plaintiff Gigamon Inc. and Defendant Apcon, Inc., hereafter referred to as “the Parties,” believe that certain information that is or will be encompassed by discovery demands by the Parties involves the production or disclosure of trade secrets, confidential business information, or other proprietary information;

WHEREAS, the Parties seek a protective order in this Action limiting disclosure thereof in accordance with Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 26(c):

THEREFORE, it is hereby stipulated among the Parties and ORDERED that:

1. Each Party may designate as confidential for protection under this Order, in whole or in part, any document, information or material that constitutes or includes, in whole or in part, confidential or proprietary information or trade secrets of the Party or a Third Party to whom the Party reasonably believes it owes an obligation of confidentiality with respect to such document, information or material (“DESIGNATED MATERIAL”). DESIGNATED MATERIAL shall be designated by the Party producing it by affixing a legend or stamp on such document, information or material as follows: “CONFIDENTIAL” or

“RESTRICTED – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY” or “RESTRICTED CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE.” The words CONFIDENTIAL or RESTRICTED – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY or RESTRICTED CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE shall be placed clearly on each page of the DESIGNATED MATERIAL (except deposition and hearing transcripts) for which such protection is sought. For deposition and hearing transcripts, the words CONFIDENTIAL or RESTRICTED – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY or RESTRICTED CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE shall be placed on the cover page of the transcript (if not already present on the cover page of the transcript when received from the court reporter) by each attorney receiving a copy of the transcript after that attorney receives notice of the designation of some or all of that transcript as CONFIDENTIAL or RESTRICTED – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY or RESTRICTED CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE.

2. Any document produced under Patent Rules 2-2, 3-2, and/or 3-4 before issuance of this Order with the designation CONFIDENTIAL or “Confidential – Outside Attorneys’ Eyes Only” shall receive the same treatment as if designated RESTRICTED – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY under this Order, unless and until such document is redesignated to have a different classification under this Order.
3. With respect to documents, information or material designated CONFIDENTIAL, RESTRICTED – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY, or RESTRICTED CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE (“DESIGNATED MATERIAL”),¹ subject to the provisions herein and

¹ The term DESIGNATED MATERIAL is used throughout this Protective Order to refer to the class of materials designated as CONFIDENTIAL, RESTRICTED – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY, or RESTRICTED CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE, both individually and collectively.

unless otherwise stated, this Order governs, without limitation: (a) all documents, electronically stored information, and/or things as defined by the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure; (b) all pretrial, hearing or deposition testimony, or documents marked as exhibits or for identification in depositions and hearings; (c) pretrial pleadings, exhibits to pleadings and other court filings; (d) affidavits; and (e) stipulations. All copies, reproductions, extracts, digests, and complete or partial summaries prepared from any DESIGNATED MATERIALS shall also be considered DESIGNATED MATERIAL and treated as such under this Order.

4. Inadvertent or unintentional production of DESIGNATED MATERIAL shall not be deemed a waiver in whole or in part of a claim for confidential treatment. Any party that inadvertently or unintentionally produces DESIGNATED MATERIAL without designating it may notify the recipient(s), as soon as reasonably possible after the producing Party becomes aware of the inadvertent or unintentional disclosure, and provide properly designated replacements. The recipient(s) shall then destroy all copies of the inadvertently or unintentionally produced DESIGNATED MATERIAL and any documents, information or material derived from or based thereon.
5. CONFIDENTIAL documents, information, and material may be disclosed only to the following persons, except upon receipt of the prior written consent of the designating party, upon order of the Court, or as set forth in paragraph 12 herein:
 - (a) outside counsel of record in this Action for the Parties;
 - (b) employees of such counsel assigned to and reasonably necessary to assist such counsel in the litigation of this Action;
 - (c) in-house counsel for the Parties who either have responsibility for making decisions dealing directly with the litigation of this Action, or who are assisting outside counsel in the litigation of this Action;

- (d) up to and including three (3) designated representatives of each of the Parties to the extent reasonably necessary for the litigation of this Action, except that either party may in good faith request the other party's consent to designate one or more additional representatives, the other party shall not unreasonably withhold such consent, and the requesting party may seek leave of Court to designate such additional representative(s) if the requesting party believes the other party has unreasonably withheld such consent;
 - (e) outside consultants or experts (i.e., not existing employees or affiliates of a Party or an affiliate of a Party) retained for the purpose of this litigation, provided that: (1) such consultants or experts are not presently employed by the Parties hereto for purposes other than this Action; (2) before access is given, the consultant or expert has completed the Undertaking attached as Appendix A hereto and the same is served upon the producing Party with a current curriculum vitae of the consultant or expert at least ten (10) days before access to DESIGNATED MATERIAL is to be given to that consultant or Undertaking to object to and notify the receiving Party in writing that it objects to disclosure of DESIGNATED MATERIAL to the consultant or expert. The Parties agree to promptly confer and use good faith to resolve any such objection. If the Parties are unable to resolve any objection, the objecting Party may file a motion with the Court within fifteen (15) days of the notice, or within such other time as the Parties may agree, seeking a protective order with respect to the proposed disclosure. The objecting Party shall have the burden of proving the need for a protective order. No disclosure shall occur until all such objections are resolved by agreement or Court order;
 - (f) independent litigation support services, including persons working for or as court reporters, graphics or design services, jury or trial consulting services, and photocopy, document imaging, and database services retained by counsel and reasonably necessary to assist counsel with the litigation of this Action; and
 - (g) the Court (including any Court-appointed mediators or advisors) and its personnel.
6. A Party shall designate documents, information or material as CONFIDENTIAL only upon a good faith belief that the documents, information, or material contains confidential or proprietary information or trade secrets of the Party or a Third Party to whom the Party reasonably believes it owes an obligation of confidentiality with respect to such documents, information or material.
7. Documents, information or material produced in this Action, including but not limited to DESIGNATED MATERIAL, shall be used by the Parties only in the litigation of this

Action and shall not be used for any other purpose. Any person or entity who obtains access to DESIGNATED MATERIAL or the contents thereof pursuant to this Order shall not make any copies, duplicates, extracts, summaries, or descriptions of such DESIGNATED MATERIAL or any portion thereof except as may be reasonably necessary in the litigation of this Action. Any such copies, duplicates, extracts, summaries or descriptions shall be classified as DESIGNATED MATERIALS and subject to all of the terms and conditions of this Order.

8. To the extent a producing Party believes that certain materials are so sensitive that its dissemination deserves even further limitation, the producing Party may designate such material RESTRICTED – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY, or to the extent such material includes computer source code and/or live data (that is, data as it exists residing in a database or databases) (“Source Code Material”), the producing Party may designate such materials as RESTRICTED CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE.
9. Access, and disclosure of, RESTRICTED – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY material shall be limited to individuals listed in paragraphs 5(a-b) and (e-g). Notwithstanding the foregoing, for the purposes of settlement discussions, a receiving Party may disclose RESTRICTED - ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY material limited to financial or sales information related to damages to specifically identified in-house counsel if, after a meet and confer, the producing Party provides its written consent to do so.
10. For RESTRICTED CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE, the following additional restrictions apply:
 - (a) Access to a Party’s Source Code Material shall be provided only on “stand-alone” computer(s) (the “Source Code Review Computer(s)”) (that is, the computer may not be linked to any network, including a local area network (“LAN”), an intranet or the Internet). The Source Code Review Computer(s) shall be connected to (i) a

printer, or (ii) a device capable of temporarily storing electronic copies solely for the limited purposes permitted herein. Additionally, the Source Code Review Computer(s) may only be located at the offices of the producing Party's outside counsel or a location mutually agreed upon by the receiving Party and the producing Party (the "Review Facility"). The Review Facility shall be reasonably accessible to the receiving Party;

- (b) The receiving Party shall make reasonable efforts to restrict its requests for such access to the Source Code Review Computer(s) to normal business hours, which for purposes of this paragraph shall be 9:00 a.m. through 6:00 p.m. local time. However, upon reasonable notice from the receiving party, the producing Party shall make reasonable efforts to accommodate the receiving Party's request for access to the Source Code Review Computer(s) outside of normal business hours. The Parties agree to cooperate in good faith such that maintaining the producing Party's Source Code Material shall not unreasonably hinder the receiving Party's ability to efficiently and effectively conduct the prosecution or defense of this Action;
- (c) The producing Party shall provide the receiving Party with information explaining how to start, log on to, and operate the Source Code Review Computer(s) in order to access the produced Source Code Material on the Source Code Review Computer(s);
- (d) The producing Party will produce Source Code Material in computer searchable format on the Source Code Review Computer(s) as described above. The receiving Party may, at its own expense, request that the producing Party install software on the Source Code Review Computer(s) to perform searches of the Source Code Material, provided that such other software is necessary for the receiving Party to perform its review of the Source Code Material consistent with all of the protections herein. The receiving Party must provide the producing Party with appropriate access to such software tools(s) at least five (5) days in advance of the date upon which the receiving Party wishes to have the additional software available for use on the Source Code Review Computer(s). Timely requests for the installation of such search software will not be unreasonably denied so long as the requested search software is compatible with the operating system, and other software necessary to make the Source Code available for inspection, installed on a Source Code Review Computer(s), does not prevent or impede the receiving Party's access to the Source Code Material produced for inspection on Source Code Review Computer(s) and does not side-step any of the security features enabled on a Source Code Review computer(s) (e.g., enable connection and use of USB thumb drives). The receiving Party shall not erase, load, install, compile, or otherwise modify any program (or request that any other program be erased, loaded, installed, or otherwise modified by the producing Party) on the Source Code Review Computer(s) without first submitting a written request and obtaining the producing Party's agreement to the request;

- (e) Access to RESTRICTED CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE shall be limited to outside counsel and up to three (3) outside consultants or experts² (i.e., not existing employees or affiliates of a Party or an affiliate of a Party) retained for the purpose of this litigation and approved to access such materials pursuant to paragraph 5(e) above. A receiving Party may include excerpts of Source Code Material in a pleading, exhibit, expert report, discovery document, deposition transcript, or other Court document (“Source Code Documents”), provided that such documents are appropriately marked under this Order, restricted to those who are entitled to have access to them as specified herein, and, if filed with the Court, filed under seal in accordance with the Court’s rules, procedures and orders;
- (f) To the extent portions of Source Code Material are reproduced in a Source Code Document, either (1) the entire Source Code Document will be stamped and treated as RESTRICTED CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE or (2) those pages containing reproduced Source Code Material will be separately stamped and treated as RESTRICTED CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE;
- (g) Except as set forth in paragraph 10(m) below, no electronic copies of Source Code Material shall be made without prior written consent of the producing Party, except as necessary to create documents which, pursuant to the Court’s rules, procedures and order, must be filed or served electronically;
- (h) The receiving Party shall not print Source Code Material in order to review blocks of Source Code Material elsewhere in the first instance, i.e., as an alternative to reviewing that Source Code Material electronically on the Source Code Review Computer(s), as the parties acknowledge and agree that the purpose of the protections herein would be frustrated by printing portions of code for review and analysis elsewhere, and that printing is permitted solely to enable use of Source Code Materials in filings, depositions, proceedings, contentions, expert reports, and related drafts and correspondence. The receiving Party shall be permitted to make a reasonable number of printouts and photocopies of Source Code Material, all of which shall be designated and clearly labeled RESTRICTED CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE, and the receiving Party shall maintain a log of all such files that are printed or photocopied;
- (i) The producing Party will provide any printed paper copies to the requesting Party within five (5) business days of the requesting Party’s request, unless otherwise agreed or the producing Party objects to the request. The receiving Party shall maintain a record of any individual who has inspected any portion of the Source Code Material in electronic or paper form. Each page of any printed copies of

² For the purposes of this paragraph, an outside consultant or expert is defined to include the outside consultant’s or expert’s direct reports and other support personnel, such that the disclosure to a consultant or expert who employs others within his or her firm to help in his or her analysis shall count as a disclosure to a single consultant or expert.

Source Code Material shall be printed on nonwhite, colored paper. After printing, the producing Party shall clearly label each page of any printed copies RESTRICTED CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE and give each page a unique identification number;

- (j) All paper copies shall be securely destroyed if they are no longer necessary in the Litigation (e.g., extra copies at the conclusion of a deposition). Copies of Source Code Material that are marked as deposition exhibits shall not be provided to the court reporter or attached to deposition transcripts; rather, the deposition record will identify the exhibit by its production numbers;
- (k) Should such printouts or photocopies be transferred back to encrypted, password-protected electronic media, such media shall be labeled RESTRICTED CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE and shall continue to be treated as such;
- (l) If the receiving Party's outside counsel, consultants, or experts obtain printouts or photocopies of Source Code Material, the receiving Party shall ensure that such outside counsel, consultants, or experts keep the printouts or photocopies in a secured locked area in the offices of such outside counsel, consultants, or experts. The receiving Party may also temporarily keep the printouts or photocopies at: (i) the Court for any proceedings(s) relating to the Source Code Material, for the dates associated with the proceeding(s); (ii) the sites where any deposition(s) relating to the Source Code Material are taken, for the dates associated with the deposition(s); and (iii) any intermediate location reasonably necessary to transport the printouts or photocopies (e.g., a hotel prior to a Court proceeding or deposition); and
- (m) A producing Party's Source Code Material may only be transported by the receiving Party at the direction of a person authorized under paragraph 10(e) above to another person authorized under paragraph 10(e) above, on paper or removable, encrypted, password-protected electronic media (e.g., a DVD, CD-ROM, or flash memory "stick") via hand carry, Federal Express or other similarly reliable courier. Source Code Material may not be transported or transmitted electronically over a network of any kind, including a LAN, an intranet, or the Internet. Source Code Material may only be transported electronically for the purpose of Court proceeding(s) or deposition(s) as set forth in paragraph 10(l) above and is at all times subject to the transport restrictions set forth herein. But, for those purposes only, the Source Code Materials may be loaded onto a stand-alone computer.

11. Prosecution Bar.

- (a) Any individual listed in paragraphs 5(a-b) and (e-f) permitted to receive the other Party's material designated RESTRICTED – ATTORNEYS' EYES ONLY and/or RESTRICTED CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE (collectively "HIGHLY SENSITIVE MATERIAL"), who actually obtains, receives, or otherwise learns, in whole or in part, the other Party's non-financial HIGHLY

SENSITIVE MATERIAL under this Order shall not prepare, prosecute, supervise, or assist in the preparation or prosecution of any patent application based on such HIGHLY SENSITIVE MATERIAL on behalf of the receiving Party or its acquirer, successor, predecessor, or other affiliate during the pendency of this Action and for one year after its conclusion, including any appeals. For purposes of this paragraph, “prosecution” includes directly or indirectly drafting, amending, advising, or otherwise affecting the scope or maintenance of patent or patent application claims. Notwithstanding the above, outside litigation counsel who has received another Party’s HIGHLY SENSITIVE MATERIAL may participate in and/or advise his/her client in any post-grant patent proceedings (e.g., reexamination, *inter partes* review, post-grant review, and/or the transitional program for covered business method patents) initiated against any Patent-in-Suit, any patents within the same family as a Patent-in-Suit, or any patents to which a Patent-in-Suit claims priority. Further, the Prosecution Bar in this paragraph does not apply to the Receiving Party’s in-house counsel, provided prior written consent by the Producing Party in accordance with Paragraph 9 of this Order for the Receiving Party’s in-house counsel to view the Producing Party’s Restricted – Attorneys’ Eyes Only materials that consist solely of financial information.

- (b) Nothing herein shall prevent any attorney from communicating with or sending any prior art or other litigation materials to the attorney’s client, client’s patent prosecution counsel, or client’s post-grant proceeding counsel for the purpose of ensuring that such materials are submitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (or any similar agency of a foreign government) to assist a patent applicant in complying with its duty of candor and/or to avoid a finding of inequitable conduct. If the foregoing prior art or other litigation materials sought to be disclosed by the attorney were designated CONFIDENTIAL, RESTRICTED – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY, and/or RESTRICTED CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE by the producing Party, then the attorney may provide copies of said confidential materials to his/her client’s patent prosecution or post-grant proceeding counsel only if the producing Party agrees to this submission or, if agreement cannot be reached, upon order of the Court. To the extent that the Parties reach agreement or the Court orders the submission of the confidential materials, then that confidential material may be submitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (or any similar agency of a foreign government), and will be submitted under seal and in accordance with the U.S. Patent Office (or foreign office) rules and regulations for such documents.
- (c) The receipt or review of the following documents and materials shall not trigger the Prosecution Bar set forth above: (i) publicly available publications, including patents and published patent applications; (ii) publicly available materials regarding third-party systems or products that were publicly known, on sale, or in public use; and (iii) information that is otherwise publicly available.

- 12. Nothing in this Order shall require production of materials that a Party contends is protected

from disclosure by the attorney-client privilege, the work product doctrine, or other privilege, doctrine, or immunity. If materials subject to a claim of attorney-client privilege, work product doctrine, or other privilege, doctrine, or immunity is inadvertently or unintentionally produced, such production shall in no way prejudice or otherwise constitute a waiver of, or estoppel as to, any such privilege, doctrine, or immunity. Any Party that inadvertently or unintentionally produces materials it reasonably believes are protected under the attorney-client privilege, work product doctrine, or other privilege, doctrine, or immunity may obtain the return of such materials by (1) promptly notifying the recipient(s), (2) requesting return or destruction of the material, and (3) providing a privilege log for the inadvertently or unintentionally produced material. Upon notification, the recipient(s) shall gather and return all copies of such materials to the producing Party, except for any pages containing privileged or otherwise protected markings by the recipient(s), which pages shall instead be destroyed and certified as such to the producing Party.

13. Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 26(b)(4)(B), no draft expert reports, notes, outlines, or disclosures leading up to a final expert report are discoverable in whatever form. In addition, where a Party retains independent consultants or experts to further technical or consulting services or to give testimony with respect to the subject matter of this action, the following materials will be deemed to be privileged materials or materials otherwise protected from production based on a claim of privilege (attorney-client, work product, or other privilege) and thus not discoverable:
 - (a) Correspondence between such independent consultants or experts and a party or its outside counsel;
 - (b) Drafts of expert reports, declarations, or any other materials drafted by or for such

independent consultants or experts regarding the subject matter of this action; and

- (c) Communications between such independent consultants and experts and a party or its outside counsel that are related to drafts and/or revisions of expert reports, declarations, or other materials drafted by or for such independent consultants or experts, or that are related to preparation to testify at a hearing, trial, or deposition in this action.

Such protections provided herein are to be construed to be in addition to, and shall not diminish the protections provided in, Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(b)(3)–(4). Nothing herein, however, limits the rights of Parties to examine an expert or consultant concerning the information he or she relied upon in forming his or her opinions, which information shall not be privileged.

- 14. There shall be no disclosure of any DESIGNATED MATERIAL by any person authorized to have access thereto to any person who is not authorized for such access under this Order. The Parties are hereby ORDERED to safeguard all such documents, information, and material to protect against disclosure to any unauthorized persons or entities.
- 15. Nothing contained herein shall be construed to prejudice any Party's right to use any DESIGNATED MATERIAL in taking testimony at any deposition or hearing provided that the DESIGNATED MATERIAL is only disclosed to a person(s) who is: (i) eligible to have access to the DESIGNATED MATERIAL by virtue of his or her employment with the designating party, (ii) identified in the DESIGNATED MATERIAL as an author, addressee, or copy recipient of such information, (iii) although not identified as an author, addressee, or copy recipient of such DESIGNATED MATERIAL, has, in the ordinary course of business, seen such DESIGNATED MATERIAL, (iv) a current officer, director, or employee of the producing Party; (v) counsel for a Party, including outside counsel and in-house counsel (subject to paragraph 9 of this Order); (vi) an independent contractor,

consultant, and/or expert retained for the purpose of this litigation; (vii) court reporters and videographers; (viii) the Court; or (ix) other persons entitled hereunder to have access to DESIGNATED MATERIAL. DESIGNATED MATERIAL shall not be disclosed to any other persons unless prior authorization is obtained from counsel representing the producing Party or from the Court.

16. Parties may, at the deposition or hearing or within thirty (30) days after receipt of a deposition or hearing transcript, designate the deposition or hearing transcript or any portion thereof as CONFIDENTIAL, RESTRICTED – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY, or RESTRICTED CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE pursuant to this Order. Access to the deposition or hearing transcript so designated shall be limited in accordance with the terms of this Order. Until expiration of the 30-day period, the entire deposition or hearing transcript shall be treated as RESTRICTED – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY.
17. Any DESIGNATED MATERIAL that is filed with the Court shall be filed under seal and shall remain under seal until further order of the Court. The filing party shall be responsible for informing the Clerk of the Court that the filing should be sealed according to the Local Rules of the Court.
18. This Order applies to pretrial discovery. Nothing in this Order shall be deemed to prevent the Parties from introducing any DESIGNATED MATERIAL into evidence at the trial of this Action, or from using any information contained in DESIGNATED MATERIAL at the trial of this Action, subject to any pretrial order issued by this Court.
19. A Party may request in writing to the other Party that the designation given to any DESIGNATED MATERIAL be modified or withdrawn. If the designating Party does not agree to redesignation within ten (10) days of receipt of the written request, the requesting

Party may apply to the Court for relief. Upon any such application to the Court, the burden shall be on the designating Party to show why its classification is proper. Such application shall be treated procedurally as a motion to compel pursuant to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 37, subject to the Rule's provisions relating to sanctions. In making such application, the requirements of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and the Local Rules of the Court shall be met. Pending the Court's determination of the application, the designation of the designating Party shall be maintained.

20. Each outside consultant or expert to whom DESIGNATED MATERIAL is disclosed in accordance with the terms of this Order shall be advised by counsel of the terms of this Order, shall be informed that he or she is subject to the terms and conditions of this Order, and shall sign an acknowledgment that he or she has received a copy of, has read, and has agreed to be bound by this Order. A copy of the acknowledgment form is attached as Appendix A.
21. To the extent that any discovery is taken of persons who are not Parties to this Action ("Third Parties") and in the event that such Third Parties contended the discovery sought involves trade secrets, confidential business information, or other proprietary information, then such Third Parties may agree to be bound by this Order.
22. To the extent that discovery or testimony is taken of Third Parties, the Third Parties may designate as CONFIDENTIAL or RESTRICTED – ATTORNEYS' EYES ONLY any documents, information or other material, in whole or in part, produced or given by such Third Parties. The Third Parties shall have ten (10) days after production of such documents, information or other materials to make such a designation. Until that time period lapses or until such a designation has been made, whichever occurs sooner, all documents, information


or other material so produced or given shall be treated as RESTRICTED – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY in accordance with this Order.

23. Within thirty (30) days of final termination of this Action, including any appeals, all DESIGNATED MATERIAL, including all copies, duplicates, abstracts, indexes, summaries, descriptions, and excerpts or extracts thereof (excluding excerpts or extracts incorporated into any privileged memoranda of the Parties and materials which have been admitted into evidence in this Action), shall at the producing Party’s election either be returned to the producing Party or be destroyed. The receiving Party shall verify the return or destruction by affidavit furnished to the producing Party, upon the producing Party’s request.
24. The failure to designate documents, information or material in accordance with this Order and the failure to object to a designation at a given time shall not preclude the filing of a motion at a later date seeking to impose such designation or challenging the propriety thereof. The entry of this Order and/or the production of documents, information, and material hereunder shall in no way constitute a waiver of any objection to the furnishing thereof, all such objections being hereby preserved.
25. Any Party knowing or believing that any other party is in violation of or intends to violate this Order and has raised the question of violation or potential violation with the opposing party and has been unable to resolve the matter by agreement may move the Court for such relief as may be appropriate in the circumstances. Pending disposition of the motion by the Court, the Party alleged to be in violation of or intending to violate this Order shall discontinue the performance of and/or shall not undertake the further performance of any action alleged to constitute a violation of this Order.
26. Production of DESIGNATED MATERIAL by each of the Parties shall not be deemed a

publication of the documents, information, and material (or the contents thereof) produced so as to void or make voidable whatever claim the Parties may have as to the proprietary and confidential nature of the documents, information or other material or its contents.

27. Nothing in this Order shall be construed to effect an abrogation, waiver, or limitation of any kind on the rights of each of the Parties to assert any applicable discovery or trial privilege.
28. Each of the Parties shall also retain the right to file a motion with the Court (a) to modify this Order to allow disclosure of DESIGNATED MATERIAL to additional persons or entities if reasonably necessary to prepare and present this Action and (b) to apply for additional protection of DESIGNATED MATERIAL.

So ORDERED and SIGNED this 12th day of December, 2019.



RODNEY GILSTRAP
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**APPENDIX A
UNDERTAKING OF EXPERTS OR CONSULTANTS REGARDING
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I, _____, declare that:

1. My address is _____.
My current employer is _____.
My current occupation is _____.
2. I have received a copy of the Protective Order in this action. I have carefully read and understand the provisions of the Protective Order.
3. I will comply with all of the provisions of the Protective Order. I will hold in confidence, will not disclose to anyone not qualified under the Protective Order, and will use only for purposes of this action any information designated as "CONFIDENTIAL," "RESTRICTED – ATTORNEYS' EYES ONLY," or "RESTRICTED CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE" that is disclosed to me.
4. Promptly upon termination of these actions, I will return all documents and things

designated as CONFIDENTIAL, RESTRICTED – ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY, or RESTRICTED CONFIDENTIAL – SOURCE CODE that came into my possession, and all documents and things that I have prepared relating thereto, to the outside counsel for the party by whom I am employed.

5. I hereby submit to the jurisdiction of this Court for the purpose of enforcement of the Protective Order in this action.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Signature _____

Date _____